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Previous References
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Serial Nos. Six

Part B for September 1927.

SUBJECT

Petition of Mr. Padmarajiah of Sringeri appealing against the order of the D.C. Kadur dismissing his election petition against the election of Mr. Rameswara Sastry from the Sringeri rural constituency.

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6) To Mr. Padmarajiah, Sringeri
No. 201 d 29.9.27.

With refce to his appeal petition informs that after careful perusal of all the records in the case Govt are of opinion that the D.C. was right in upholding the election of Mr. Rameswara Sastry and that his appeal is therefore dismissed.

Memo no 202 d 29.9.1927.
For copy of above to D.C. Kadur and returns the records received.

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D799

Petition D/ 6.5.27 from Mr. Chinivar Padmarajiah of Sringeri.

~~Cov~~ Appeals against the ~~election~~ decision of the Deputy Commissioner in the election dispute No. 3 of 1926-27 and requests that enquiries may be made & the order of Dy Comr. reversed.

1) Submitted.

2) The petition is unstamped. Draft endorsement on the petn is put up returning the petition with all its enclosures, as being unstamped.

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3) Issue

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Issued No. 4473 dt 11/5/27

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D 964
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From Mr. Padmanayiah, C.M.
Member, Sringeri
D/ 17.5.27 recd. 20.5.27

"Returns the appeal petition duly stamped with 3 Rs. worth of stamps & requests ~~to give~~ the return of stamps if they are in excess."

Submitted.

1) The petitioner appeals
2) against the decision of the Dy. Commr. Kadur Dt. re: the election held at Sringeri.

3) He has affixed 3 Rs worth of stamps, whereas only 2 Rs worth of stamps are necessary to be affixed to an appeal petition to Govt. May the excess of Re (1) worth ~~stamps~~ be returned to the petitioner and the petition sent to the Dy. Commr. Kadur Dt. for an early report with records.

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Sr. 2 drafts, one returning the Stamps (1 Re worth) in excess to the petitioner & the other forwarding the petition to the Dy Comr Kadur Dt. for report with records are submitted for approval

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1) Issue

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Issued No. 1743/4.6.27

Disptd 4/6/27

2) To the D.C. Kadur.
Rel no. 1743 d/ 4.6.27.
Forwards the petition for report with records in the case

Letter no. 5132 d/ 4.6.27.
Returns to Mr. Padmarajiah one rupee worth of stamps being in excess of the prescribed fee.

3) From the Deputy Comr Kadur Dt
No. C.P no: 3/26-27 D/9.6.27

~~Forwards~~ Returns the petition of Mr. Padmarajiah with records & with the a complete report.

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	8) Submitted
	9) Therefore From paragraph 4 of the Dy. Commissioner's report it is seen that the ballot-box was opened by the Dy. Comr. & the 24 invalid votes ~~were~~ scrutinised by ~~them~~ him. & that the scrutiny resulted in 8 votes being admitted in favour of Mr. Padmarajiah & 9 votes in favour of Mr. Rameswara Sastri, & that even then Mr. Rameswara Sastri got 79 votes, and Mr. Padmarajiah 71 votes, and for
(Vide Flag N)	reasons set forth by him, he has upheld the result of the general election on 12/3/27, declaring Mr. Rameswara Sastri as RA member.
	10) Papers submitted for orders. 22/6 23.6.27
	11) Please put up a copy of the G.O. of 16.3.1927 & bring up. 31/7
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	12) The appellant in his appeal memo says that the seven votes declared invalid by the D.C. are

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valid and that those votes should be credited to him.

13) If the vote of Putti Heggadathi is invalid, then Mr Rameswara Sastry will get 78 votes & if the 7 votes referred to above are added on to the appellants then he will also get 78 votes.

14) The reasons given for not examining Putti Heggadathi are not sufficient. She pleads inability to attend and so her examination is not made.

15) Before examining her, it seems to be better to scrutinize the seven votes declared invalid so that, if they do not go to the credit of the appellant, Putti Heggadathi need not be examined.

(16) The voting papers may ~~perhaps~~ perhaps be sent for first.

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18) Draft submitted for approval

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Issued No. 137/R.A Dt 3.8.27

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4 To The Dy Comr Kadur Dt No. 137/RA Dt 3.8.27

Requests that all the Voting papers relating to the election held at Sringeri on 12.3.27 may be sent to this office very early

5 From the Dy Comr Kadur Dt. No. EP 3/26-27 Dt 10.8.27

Forwards in a sealed packet all the voting papers relating to the RA election held at Sringeri on 12.3.27

Submitted for perusal & orders.

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The facts of the case are explained

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The facts of the case are these:-

On 12th March 1927 the election of a member to the Representative Assembly from the Sringeri Jaghir was held, ~~the~~ the Polling Officer being Mr.V. Narasimhiah, the Deputy Amildar. The Polling -- Officer in his proceedings dated 12th March 1927 (Flag A) declared that 157 voting papers were — issued. Of these 156 were found in the box and one outside the box. Of the 156 votes he declared 23 as invalid and of the remaining 133 -- votes Mr. Padmarajiah ~~had~~ secured 63 and Mr. -- Rameswara Sastry 70 votes. He therefore declar Mr. Rameswara Sastry as duly elected. The petitioner then preferred an objection petition -- before the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur alleging that 24 votes had been declared as invalid by the Returning Officer ~~out of which~~ in 14 ~~of~~ which either the name of the opponent or the symbol assigned to him had been scorded out and that - if these were taken into his account he would - get a higher number of votes than his opponent and prayed that the election might be set aside. His petition is Flagged B. On the 24th March 1927 the petitioner made a statement before - the Deputy Commissioner (Flag C) in which he -- urged that the matter might be disposed of by a scrutiny of the voting papers. The Deputy Commissioner accordingly scrutinised them on 8th-- April 1927 in the presence of both the parties

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and Mr. K. Krishna Rao, counsel for Mr. Rameswara Sastry. He found that 8 votes in favour of Mr. Padmarajiah and 9 in favour of Mr. Rameswara Sastry were valid in accordance with the instructions issued in Government letter No.3981-90 dated 16th March 1927 (Flag F). Adding therefore these votes to the respective parties he found Mr. Padmarajiah getting 63 plus 8 or 71 votes against Mr Rameswara Sastry getting 70 plus 9 or 79 votes. Mr. Rameswara Sastry having therefore got higher number of votes he confirmed the results of the election held by the Polling Officer.

In his appeal memo filed before Govt the contention of Mr. Padmarajiah is that 3 votes recorded in favour of Mr. Rameswara Sastry and declared as valid by the Deputy Commissioner should be looked into for verifying whether they are really valid or not.

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In the annexure to his appeal memo Mr. Padmarajiah has given an illustration of the voting papers he refers to. Numbers 1 and 2 of the annexure are voting papers Nos.120 and 50 declared as valid in favour of Mr. Rameswara Sastry. In voting paper No.120 the name of Mr. Padmarajiah has been scored out and in 50 the name of Mr. Rameswara Sastry has been scored out a Cross is made ~~shown~~ against Mr. Rameswara Sastry. Neither the name of Mr. Rameswara Sastry nor the ~~figure~~ Symbol against his name has been touched. It would therefore appear that both these were valid. At any rate these —

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two cannot be counted in favour of Mr. Padmarajiah It is not possible to trace out the third of the voting papers he refers to in the annexure.. His next contention is that the 8 voting papers declared as invalid by the Deputy Commissioner -- should be declared as valid and in his favour. The first paper No.99 contains a line which does not score out neither the names nor the symbols of the two candidates and it is undoubtedly --- invalid. In No.52 there is some writing against the name of Mr. Padmarajiah and there is a line drawn under the name of Mr. Rameswara Sastry. It is doubtful whether this can be declared as valid. In 104 three lines are drawn not touching either the names or the symbols of the candidates. This is undoubtedly invalid. In 44 there is only a cross against the symbol of Mr. Padmarajiah - neither of the ~~the~~ names has been scored out. There is however a slight bluish line against the elephant. It is not clear. In 88 there are two lines ~~ag~~ against the symbol of Mr. Rameswara Sastry. In 103 there is a line under the name of Mr. Rameswar Sastry. No.117 was the voting paper found ~~txxhx~~ outside the box and so it is invalid. Now of -- these papers as stated above Nos.99,52,and 104 are undoubtedly invalid. Nos.44,88 and 103 are doubtful. Even if they are taken as valid 44 -- goes in favour of Mr. Rameswara Sastry, 88 and 103 go in favour of Mr. Padmarajiah.

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The result will therefore be that 2 votes out of those declared as invalid will go in favour of Mr. Padmarajiah and one in favour of Mr. Rameswara Sastry. Even if the 2 votes contended by the -- appellant as invalid and should not go in favour of Mr. Rameswara Sastry are declared invalid Mr. Rameswara Sastry will get one vote less than the number declared by the Deputy Commissioner, that is, he will get 78 votes and Mr. Padmarajiah will get 2 votes more, that is 71 plus 2 or 73.

Two other contentions not put forward before the Deputy Commissioner first are the following:-

(i) that one Putti Heggadthi who was not at all a voter was brought forward to vote for one deceased Putti Heggadthi. The Deputy Commissioner says that he had issued summons to this Putti -- Heggadthi but did not examine her as she pleaded her inability to attend the court;

(ii) that Mr. Padmarajiah refers to a dispute which is alleged to have occurred near the polling station at the time of the ballot and the Deputy Commissioner having ordered the Sub-Division -- Officer of Tarikere for an enquiry and report, the latter officer found that the allegations ~~born out that the complaint~~ was set up. These two incidents did not affect the results of the election.

Flag H refers to records relating to the enquiry by the Tarikere Sub-Division Officer.

Submitted for orders.

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The Secy. who ordered the papers to be submitted to him in person is not on duty now. It is for orders whether the paper may not be submd. to the Secy. in charge for kind orders.

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These may be submitted to the Genl. Secy.

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I have gone thro' the voting papers. I agree with the D.C. as regards his decision regarding the valid votes for both parties. As regards those declared by him to be invalid, I think 2 are valid for P. Setti & 1 for R. Sastri. This does not materially affect the result of the election as R. Sastri still gets the largest no. of votes.

The appeal may be dismissed.

Third Member &
Dewan.

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THIRD MEMBER OF COUNCIL
17 SEP. 1927
No. 2103

I agree

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Received on
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Orders may issue dismissing the appeal

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To Mr. Chinivar Padmarajiah, Sringeri
Endt. no. Rel 201 d/ 29-9-1927.
Informs that, after careful perusal of all the records in the case, Govt. are of opinion that the D.C. was right in rejecting his petition and dasla upholding the ~~bd~~ election of Mr. Rameswara Sastry and rejects his appea

Memo no. 202 d/ 28-9-27.
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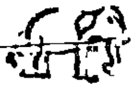
~~[illegible]~~ 

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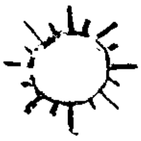
[illegible] 

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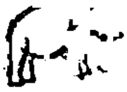
[illegible] 

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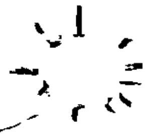
[illegible] 

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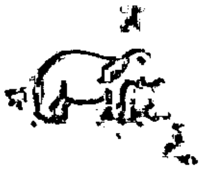
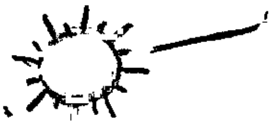
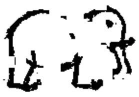
[illegible] 

[illegible] 

[illegible] 

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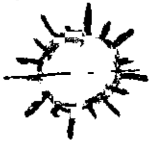
~~[illegible]~~ 

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Petitioner vs Counter petitioner

C. Padmarajaiah - Sringeri - Rameshwara Sastry

Dated this 8th day of April 1927.

Present: H. V. Ramaswami Esqr M.A., B.L.
Deputy Commissioner: Kadur Dt

DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE KADUR

Order

Both parties and Mr Krishna Rao - present. The Counsel for Counter-petitioner urged on the last hearing date -

(i) That the objection petition was not presented in person but was sent by post and has not been stamped.

(ii) That the statement on oath should have been made then and there immediately on receipt of petition

(iii) That the said petition was not

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not accompanied by Rupees 100/- which amount has been credited later.

These are merely technical objections which should have been considered by the then Deputy Commissioner who has already ordered the opening of the Voting box. I do not think it is necessary for me to consider at this stage these objections which afterall are not very material in nature.

DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS OFFICE

Mr Krishna Rao also urges today—

(i) That the Deputy Commissioner has no power to open the box.

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(ii) That the direction of Government re-counting of Votes dated 16-3-1927 has no

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no ~~rules~~ any retrospective effect.

For the purpose of a Summary enquiry Vide Section 6 (a), the opening of the box is obviously essential. The Government order dated 16.3.27 is only explanatory. There is no question of any retrospective effect in it. So I hold these objections also to be immaterial.

TY COMMISSIONERS OF
KADUR DISTRICT

Order.

The ballot box was re-opened in the presence of both the parties and the 24 "invalid" Votes Scrutinised again in their presence. Of these I found only 7 to be really invalid, the intention of the Voter not being clear.

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the exclusion of this vote will make no difference in the result as the Counter-petitioner has a majority by 8 votes: So my finding is that there is no necessity to modify the result that has been already declared

(Sd) H. V. Ramaswami

8.4.1927. Deputy Commissioner

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SUBJECT 2 drafts

Section OA
File No. 80-26
Serial No. 2

Diary No. of letter replied to 964

No. 1793
Encls. 13.

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To
The Deputy Commissioner
Kadur Dt

Date of issue 4/6/27

Signed by NV. J. S

Sir,

I am directed to forward for favor of an early report with records ~~the~~ petition dated 6.5-27 with its enclosures, received from Mr. Padmarajiah of Sringeri, appealing against the order of the Dy. Comr. Kadur Dt in election case No: 3 of 1926-27 on his file. ~~of Kadur Dt. & requesting that a re-election may be ordered after due enquiry to~~

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SUBJECT

Diary No. of letter replied to

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File No.

Serial No.

No. 5132/R.A

Encls. one Rupee worth of Stamps

General and Revenue Secretariat
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To

Mr. Chintur Padmarajiah
Sringeri.

Date of issue 9/6/27

Signed by MVTS

List of enclosures

With reference to his letter dated 17.5.27 forwarding his appeal petition dated 6.5.27 ~~duly~~ stamped with 3 Rs worth of stamps, & requesting the return of excess stamps, if any, ~~As he does not know the rules~~ Mr. Padmarajiah is informed that ~~one Rupee worth of stamps~~ ~~is~~ appeal petitions to Government ~~have~~ to be affixed with two Rupees worth of stamps ~~as required by rules~~ & that one Rupee

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worth of stamps which is ~~[illegible]~~ in excess is herewith returned to him.

By order

For Secretary to Govt
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No. E.P. No. 3/26-27

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

Enc. Two Files

Dated Chikmagalur, 9th June 1927.

From

H.V.Ramasvami, Esq., M.A., B.L.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
D.4692
11 JUN 1927
REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

To

Recd 12/6/27 6pm

B.Nagappa, Esq., Bar-at-Law,
Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Law Department *Bangalore.*

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No.1743 dated the 4th instant, calling for report with records on the petition of Mr.Padmarajiah of Sringeri, appealing against the order passed by me in Election Case No. 3/26-27, I have the honor to state as follows:-

2. The petitioner Mr.Padmarajiah and another Mr.Rameswara Sastry stood as candidates for election to the Representative Assembly from the Sringeri Jaghir Rural Constituency. The former secured 63 votes and the latter 70. The Deputy Amildar of Sringeri who was the Returning Officer accordingly declared the latter Mr.Rameswara Sastry as having been duly elected- (vide flag 'A').

3. The petitioner thereupon sent a petition to this office by post on the 15th March 1927 alleging that 24 votes had been held by the Returning Officer to be invalid, in 14 of which, either the name of the opponent or the symbol assigned to him had been scored out, and that if these were to be taken into account, he would get a higher number of votes than his opponent, and prayed that the election might be set aside on a scrutiny of the voting papers. As under Rule 4 of Government

Government Notification No.P.2400/Legis.12-23-7 dated 7th November 1923, the petition was required to be supported by a statement --- made on oath by the petitioner, a notice was issued to him to appear in this office on the 23rd March 1927 for further proceedings being Fl (C) taken in the matter. My predecessor- Mr.Heblikar, recorded the -- statement of the petitioner on the 24th idem in which the the ~~pati-~~ petitioner urged that the matter might be disposed of by a scrutiny of the voting papers by having the ballot box opened (flag 'C').

4. A notice was thereupon issued to the opponent Mr.Rameswara Sastry to appear on the 6th April 1927 and furnish his explanation as required under Rule 6 of the aforesaid Government Notification. After obtaining the said explanation and hearing the arguments on ~~bo~~ both sides, I had the ballot box opened and the 24 invalid votes -- scrutinised again in the presence of both the parties. It was found that 8 votes in favour of the petitioner and 9 in favour of the -- opponent which should have been admitted as per Government letter No.3981-90 dated 13th March 1927 had been improperly excluded. This scrutiny resulted in the petitioner getting in all 63 plus 8 or 71 votes against 70 plus 9 or 79 on behalf of his opponent, and ---- (Fl. D) accordingly, for reasons fully set forth in my order, I recorded the finding that no modification of the result already declared was --- called for. It is against this order the petitioner has appealed.

5. In regard to the petitioner's allegation (not contained in (Fl E) his first petition but made in the statement recorded by Mr.Heblikar) (flag 'C') that one Putta Heggadthi who was not a voter, came and -- voted in favour of the opponent, it has to be stated that though --- notice was served upon her to appear on the hearing date, she did not come, for reasons mentioned by her on the back of the notice (flag '

6. The petitioner in his appeal petition refers to a dispute

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between the Polling Officer (Deputy Amildar) and a certain Patel at the time of the elections, and states that as a consequence of it, some voters who had come to vote for the petitioner went away without recording their votes. The Deputy Amildar in his report No.142 dated 16th March 1927 in the file, states that Thammiah Heggade Patel of Kalkuli was quarrelling with some one in front of the Polling Office, and that this incident did not affect the voters present. In fact, this Patel Thammiah Heggade wired to this office on the -- 12th March 1927 alleging that the Deputy Amildar and Polling Officer abused him before the associates at the time of voting and that -- enquiries be made in the matter. This was referred to the Sub-Division Officer, Tarikere, for enquiry and report on the 14th idem. He had also sent a wire to the Dewan and it was sent to this office for disposal, with your letter No.3961 dated 15th March 1927. The Sub-Division Officer examined all the persons cited by the Patel and -- held that the allegations made by him are not borne out by their --- statements, and that the complaint is probably set up by certain --- people to make much of a small incident. The records relating to this matter received with the Tarikere Sub-Division Officer's No.Gl. 6689/26-27 dated 6th April 1927, are herewith submitted for perusal and return when done with.

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7. The other allegations of the petitioner call for no remarks.

8. The records of enquiry relating to the case as also the --- enclosures received with your letter under reply are also herewith submitted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

APP. F. VI. Gl.]

SUBJECT...

Diary No. of letter replied to... 1692

General and Revenue Secretariat
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Date of issue... 3/8/27

Signed by... M.V.T.S

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Section RA
File No. 86-26
Serial No. 4

No. 1371 R.A.

To The Deputy Commissioner
Kadur Dt.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with letter No: E.P. No: 3/26-27 Dt. 9th June 1927 submitting a report with records on the petition of Mr. Padmarajiah of Sringeri, I am directed to request ~~that~~ all the ~~complete set of~~ the voting papers relating to the RA election held at Sringeri on 12/3/27 may be sent to this

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office very early.

J Lawrence

20/9/18 For Secretary Govt
Law department.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
13 AUG. 1927
REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Mr S.N.A.

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No. E.P.3/26-27. OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
KADUR DISTRICT.

ENC One sealed packet. *Dated Chikmagalur,* 10th August *1927*.

FROM

H. V. Ramasvami, Esq, M.A., B.L.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

To

B. Nagappa, Esq, Bar-at-law.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore.
Law Department, *Bangalore.*

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith, in a sealed packet, all the Voting papers relating to the Representative Assembly election held at Sringeri on the 12th March 1927, as called for in your letter No. 137/R.A. of the 3rd instant.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
H V Ramasvami
Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

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SUBJECT. Informs Mr. Chinivar Padmarajiah of Sringeri that his appeal has been dismissed.

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Section RA

File No. 80-26

Serial No 6

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No. R. Ch: 201/R.A.

To Mr. Chinivar Padmarajiah

Sringeri.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 29/9/27

Signed by Mr. J. Singaravelu

In reply to his petition dated 6th May 1927 appealing against the order of the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur Dt. declaring Mr. Rameswara Sastri, as a Member of the Rep: Assembly from the Sringeri Jahagir and requesting that the order may be set aside and he be declared elected,

Mr. Padmarajiah is informed that Government, on a perusal of the records connected

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with the election and enquiry bearing to the Deputy Commissioner's order and on a careful consideration of all the facts of the case, are of opinion that the Deputy Commissioner was right in rejecting his appeal and declaring Mr. Rameswara Sastri as duly elected.

The appeal is therefore dismissed.

By order

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For Secretary to Govt
Law Department

No. REl. 202/R.A. dt 29.9.27 Encls. One file with a sealed packet

Copy of the above is forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner Karwar Dt. for information with reference to correspondence ending with his letter No. EP3/26-27 Dt 10.8.27 & the records received therewith are returned.

By order

For Secretary to Govt
Law Department